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PCT/EP0	TIONAL APPLICATION NO. 03/007291	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE July 8, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED July 9, 2002							
	INVENTION OSCOPE									
APPLICAN	APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Jürgen Eitenmüller et al.									
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:										
1. 🗹 T	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
2. 🔲 т	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
3. 🗸 т	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.									
4. 🗹 T	The US has been elected (Article 31).									
5. 🔽	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))									
	a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).									
	b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.									
	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).									
6.	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).									
	a. is attached hereto.									
	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									
7.	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))									
	a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).									
	b. have been communicated	l by the International Bureau.								
	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.									
	d. have not been made and v	will not be made.								
8. 🔲	An English language translation of th	he amendments to the claims under PCT A	nticle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
9. 🔽	An oath or declaration of the inventor	(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).								
10.	An English language translation of the Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	e annexes of the International Preliminary I	Examination Report under PCT							
Items	11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:								
11.	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
12. 🔲	An assignment document for recording	ng. A separate cover sheet in compliance w	vith 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
13. 🔽	A preliminary amendment.									
14.	An Application Data Sheet under 37 C	CFR 1.76.								
15.	A substitute specification.									
16.	A power of attorney and/or change of	i address letter.								
17.	A computer-readable form of the sequ	uence listing in accordance with PCT Rule	13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.							
18.	A second copy of the published Interr	national Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d))(4).							
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20	Other items or information:									

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